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## **AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS**

Please amend the Claim Form and Claim as follows. Insertions are shown underlined while deletions are struck through.

1 (currently amended): A <u>transparent</u> surface protective film for transparent conductive substrates protecting a surface opposite to a side of a conductive thin film of the transparent conductive substrates or a surface on a side of the conductive thin film, <u>whereincomprising</u>:

a transparent base material film,

an <u>transparent</u> adhesive layer is-formed on one side of a<u>the</u> base material film, and an <u>transparent</u> antistatic layer is formed on the other side <u>of the base material film</u>, said antistatic layer comprising a cationic compound,

said transparent surface protective film being configured to maintain transparency even after one-hour heat treatment at 150°C.

2 (original): The surface protective film for transparent conductive substrates according to claim 1, wherein said base material film is a film including polyethylene terephthalates and/or polyethylene naphthalates.

3 (previously presented): A transparent conductive substrate with a surface protective film comprising a conductive thin film on one side of a substrate and a hard coat layer or an antiglare layer on the other side, and simultaneously comprising a adhesive layer of the surface protective film for the transparent conductive substrates according to claim 1 attached on a surface of the hard coat layer or the anti-glare layer, or on a surface on a side of the conductive thin film.

4 (previously presented): A transparent conductive substrate with a surface protective film comprising a conductive thin film on one side of a substrate, and simultaneously an adhesive layer of the surface protective film for a transparent conductive substrates according to claim 1 attached on a surface on the other side of the substrate or on a surface on a side of the conductive thin film.

5 (previously presented): A transparent conductive substrate with a surface protective film comprising a conductive thin film on one side of a substrate and a hard coat layer or an antiglare layer on the other side, and simultaneously comprising a adhesive layer of the surface protective film for the transparent conductive substrates according to claim 2 attached on a

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surface of the hard coat layer or the anti-glare layer, or on a surface on a side of the conductive thin film.

6 (previously presented): A transparent conductive substrate with a surface protective film comprising a conductive thin film on one side of a substrate, and simultaneously an adhesive layer of the surface protective film for a transparent conductive substrates according to claim 2 attached on a surface on the other side of the substrate or on a surface on a side of the conductive thin film.

7 (new): The surface protective film according to claim 1, wherein the cationic compound is a quaternary ammonium salt.

8 (new): The surface protective film according to claim 1, wherein the antistatic layer comprises polymers having pyrrolidium rings in main chains thereof.